

--- "Series of 1897" - 5 POUNDS - Green - COUPON - the "Widow Queen" - scanned at 65% scale ---

--- Recess printed on horizontal mesh wove - *without control numbering* - imprint "AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. OTTAWA" ---

--- coarse roulette - design is 115 x 60 mm. plus nine ½ pound coupons and an 189\_ stub ---

The catalogue should list this recess printed five pounds green "Series of 1897" Coupon stamp as:

**RM-358c** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal mesh wove - without control numbers,  
with nine ½ pound coupons and an 189\_ stub



★**RM-358c** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, without control numbering,  
on horizontal mesh wove, with nine ½ lb. coupons and an 189\_ stub



★**RM-358c CP** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, without control numbering, on horizontal mesh wove,  
with nine ½ lb. coupons and an 189\_ stub - stamped **CANCELLED** in 3 mm. Gothic letters



★**RM-358c CRP** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, without control numbering, on horizontal mesh wove,  
with nine ½ lb. coupons and an 189\_ stub - stamped **CANCELLED** and **Registered** in violet ink

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--- Recess printed on horizontal mesh wove - with 4½ mm. red controls - imprint “AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. OTTAWA” ---

--- coarse roulette - the design is 115 x 60 mm. plus nine ½ pound coupons and a 190\_ stub ---

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**RM-358** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal mesh wove - 4½ mm. red controls,  
with nine ½ pound coupons and a 190\_ stub



★ **RM-358** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal mesh wove, control number **086760**,  
rolled **TOBACCO / 2-10** by “W. R. Webster”, Sherbrooke, P. Q.

<b>036452</b>	RM-358	clipped at 7 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove - varnished
<b>067414</b>	RM-358	clipped at 6 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove - badly faded
<b>086760</b> ★	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove, rolled <b>TOBACCO / 2-10</b>
<b>151049</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove
<b>151055</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove
<b>151060</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, on horizontal wove, with nine ½ pound coupons and a 190_ stub
<b>151070</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151126</b> ★	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove - Plate No. 1
<b>151171</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151182</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151284</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151320</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151322</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151324</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151326</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove - Plate No. 1
<b>151404</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151446</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151526</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove - Plate No. 1
<b>151543</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151554</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151560</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151564</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151575</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151589</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151607</b> ★	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151626</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove
<b>151629</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151630</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151639</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151640</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151644</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151686</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, on horizontal wove, with nine ½ pound coupons and a 190_ stub



<b>151701</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, on horizontal wove, with nine ½ pound coupons and a <b>190_</b> stub
<b>151904</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151787</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove
<b>151924★</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, on horizontal wove, with nine ½ pound coupons and a <b>190_</b> stub
<b>151935★</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove
<b>151950</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, on horizontal wove
<b>151999</b>	RM-358	5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, on horizontal wove



★**RM-358** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, control number **151126**,  
on horizontal mesh wove, with nine ½ lb. coupons - from Plate No. 1



★**RM-358** - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWCS, control number **151924**,  
on horizontal mesh wove, with nine ½ lb. coupons and a **190\_** stub

Chris Ryan, "Canadian Revenue Newsletter", No. 42, of June 2003

"The use of distinctive colours (green, red, black and blue) to represent different rates of duty ended in 1908. As of June 1st, the higher duty on domestic products made of foreign leaf (previously paid by black stamps) was now charged upon the raw leaf as it was taken for use by manufacturers rather than upon their finished products. The only exception to the uniform duty was Canada Twist made by farmers from their own leaf. This form of tobacco continued to benefit from a reduced excise duty.

Under the new regime, the duty on all domestic or imported products was paid by the purchase and application of a single colour of stamps. Initially, black stamps were used exclusively. ... Tobacco products manufactured in Canada before June 1st 1908, but still in an excise bonding warehouse as of that date, continued to be stamped with the old green, red or black stamps. Surplus stocks of the red and green stamps were returned by local revenue officers to the central office in Ottawa.

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Without the stub, the following could be either 189\_ or 190\_



★RM-358n - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, without control numbering, on horizontal mesh wove, with nine ½ lb. coupons - from Plate No. 1



★RM-358n - 5 pounds, green, coarse roulette, CWC, without control numbering, on horizontal mesh wove, with nine ½ lb. coupons - from Plate No. 2

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